

BIG BATTLE IMMINENT IN GERMAN MINING DISTRICT

BENSON NAMED AS AUTHOR OF SIMS WARNING

Accused of Saying U. S. Would As Soon Battle British.

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Washington, March 22.—Rear Admiral William S. Benson, then chief of naval operations was the official who told Rear Admiral Sims, "Not to let the British pull the wool over your eyes; we would as soon fight them as the Germans." Admiral Sims testified today before the senate committee investigating the navy's conduct of the war.

Admiral Sims said the remark was made just after he had received his final instruction from Secretary Daniels preparatory to the departure for England on the eve of the entry of the United States into the war. He added, however, that it was not made in the course of formal instructions, but during a conversation in the office of Rear Admiral Palmer, chief of the bureau of navigation.

Repeated It Later.
The witness told the committee that Admiral Benson repeated his admonition during a conversation the following day and that he made the same remark six months later in London. Admiral Sims said he did not pay particular attention to the statement at that time because he believed Admiral Benson was intensely anti-British. He added that this belief was entertained generally throughout the service.

An aide recently called his attention to the remark, the Admiral said, and Admiral Palmer also told him that he remembered hearing Admiral Benson make the statement.

Sims Was Reluctant.
The witness was reluctant to give the name of the officer, but Chairman Hale insisted.

"Then I will tell you the whole story," said Admiral Sims, "early in April, 1917, I was ordered from my post at Newport to Washington. When I arrived I reported to the navy department by telephone and was told not to come to the department, but to get in touch with the chief of the bureau of navigation, Rear Admiral Leigh C. Palmer. Everything was very secret, the way they liked it. I could not get in touch with the chief of navigation then and so I reported to him later at the department and then I had an interview with the secretary of the navy in his office. No one else was present as I remember it. The interview was very brief. I was told that I was going abroad to confer with the allied admiralties and that Ambassador Page had requested that an officer of high rank be sent there for that purpose. After leaving Secretary Daniels's office or just before going there, I don't remember which, I went to the bureau of navigation. The Admiral was there and it was at that time that the remark the chairman has asked me about was made."

"Whom do you refer to as the 'Admiral'?" asked Chairman Hale.
Admiral Sims, when pressed by Chairman Hale, said he referred to Admiral Benson.

Told Daniels of Remark.
Admiral Sims said he included Admiral Benson's remark in his letter to Secretary Daniels on January 7 regarding the navy's part in the war because "if a man has a prejudice against men fighting alongside of him it has an unconscious influence on him."

The Admiral told the committee he had always regarded the admonition as "a personal prejudice on the part of Admiral Benson." He described the former chief of operations as "an unassuming, honest man who has strong convictions," and added he believed what Admiral Benson said during the war was done "conscientiously."

Sims Praised Benson.
It was due largely to Admiral Benson's confidence in him that he was selected to the high post he occupied during the war, Admiral Sims said, adding that in urging his selection Admiral Benson incurred the dislike of many officers senior to Admiral Sims who desired the post.

Senator Pittman, democrat, Nevada, asked if in view of the anti-British sentiments of Admiral Benson, that officer had not acted in a broadminded way in sending Admiral Sims to London.

The witness replied that Admiral Benson had always been "fair and square."

LEAP YEAR PROPOSAL
NO JOKE SAYS BILL

Spokane, March 22.—A gentleman who says his name is "Bill" is in a heck of a fix here. He wants advice. Bill went to a leap year party. A girl proposed to him. Bill thought she was fooling and accepted. Now she says she wasn't spoofing and Bill loves another girl. "Wadja-know-about-that?" Bill wants to know, also. "Wad'll I do about it?"

"FRESH AIR CURE" HELPS WILSON



WASHINGTON—President Wilson now takes auto rides every day the weather permits, and he is stated to be growing stronger daily. Beside the president is Mrs. Wilson. The third occupant of the tonneau is Dr. Cary H. Grayson.

As Others See Us

By Associated Press Leased Wire
London, March 22.—Profound regret is expressed by the Liverpool Post that the Versailles treaty was rejected in the United States.

"Many things contributed to this deplorable upshot of the president's diplomacy," it says. "It is not for outsiders to sit in judgment on America's decision, nevertheless it seems tolerably plain the senators have spoken and voted amid a great deal of misconception as to the treaty as a league of nations and that unfortunate mental atmosphere might have been markedly improved had Mr. Wilson shown himself as skilled a manager of men as he undoubtedly has shown himself a lofty idealist."

The Post thinks America may have an chance of putting the league to an immediate test regarding herself, as she is technically at war with Germany and asks:

"May not the league be instructed to smooth out that difficulty?"

Auto Dealers Will Form an Association

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Springfield, Ill., March 22.—Automobile dealers from a number of Illinois cities met here today to form a state organization to affiliate with the National Automotive Dealers association.

H. B. Pinkerton, of Peoria, presided as temporary chairman at the first meeting held this morning in the senate chamber at the State house. Committees were appointed to take the first steps toward organization.

Officers are to be elected at a meeting late this afternoon and Governor Frank O. Lowden and Harry B. Atwood of Chicago will speak at a dinner this evening.

Foreign Exchange Much Lower Today

By Associated Press Leased Wire
New York, March 22.—Foreign exchange rates were substantially lower at the opening of today's market. Demand bills on the English pound sterling opened at \$2.75 1/2, or 3 cents below Saturday's closing figure. Franc checks were quoted at the rate of 13.97 for the American dollar, or 20 centimes, and lire checks at the rate of \$19.20 off 38 centimes. German marks sold for 123 cents each and the Canadian dollar was quoted here at \$9.50 cents.

Ira Compton will return this week from Hot Spring, S. D.

WEATHER.

MONDAY, MARCH 22, 1920
By Associated Press Leased Wire
Chicago and vicinity—Fair tonight and Tuesday becoming unsettled Tuesday night warmer tonight; fresh to strong southerly winds.
Illinois and Missouri—Fair tonight and Tuesday; probably becoming unsettled Tuesday night; warmer tonight; fresh to strong southerly winds.

LOCAL TEMPERATURE
During the 24 hours ending Sunday morning the range of the local temperature was between 54 and 28 degrees above zero; for the period ending this morning its range was between 51 and 33 degrees above.

CARELESS AUTOISTS HAD NARROW ESCAPES HERE SATURDAY EVE

Failed to Give Fire Dept. Right of Way in Making Run.

Two very narrow escapes from automobiles colliding with the city fire engine experienced by careless drivers Saturday evening about 8:30 when the department was making a run to the north side in response to a call. Both sides of Galena avenue from First street to Second street were lined with cars headed in to the curb leaving a very narrow space for traffic in the street. As the heavy truck turned the corner of Galena and Second, a driver coming up the hill came very near having his machine wrecked by not heeding the traffic rules which give the fire truck the right of way.

The two cars passed with a very small margin of space between them. Again at the corner of River street and Galena avenue, another car was missed by not more than two inches. The department then proceeded to the Hollihan home at the corner of Ottawa avenue and Chamberlain street where a chimney was burning out. No damage was done by the fire.

Chief Coffey stated this morning that the fire truck in answering an alarm has the right of way over all other traffic, and it was only by the careful driving of the department member at the steering wheel that two accidents were averted in answering the alarm Saturday evening.

Fire Sunday Noon
About 12:30 yesterday noon the department was summoned to the Dennis Murphy home, 338 West Chamberlain street. Sparks from a chimney had started a fire on the roof, which was extinguished with the chemicals. A good sized hole was burned in the roof before the blaze was extinguished, however. The loss is covered by insurance.

Throngs Cheered Mexican Candidate

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Mexico City, March 22.—Thousands thronged the streets yesterday to greet Ygnacio Bonillas, Mexican ambassador to the United States, who has announced his willingness to become the presidential candidate of the civilian party in the general elections July 11. The demonstration was considered as a first real presidential campaign gathering and as marking the climax of the preliminary canvases. A few slight disorders were quelled by mounted police.

Newspaper comment and published interviews with other candidates and governmental officials indicate the fight has narrowed down to Bonillas and Alvaro Obregon, with partisans of Pablo Gonzalez waging a more or less extensive campaign.
General Obregon, whom opponents have been attacking as a militarist candidate has been touring the country and speaking for more than four months, while Gonzalez has contented himself with the formation of political clubs and the distribution of campaign literature.

The platforms all declare for the maintenance of Mexican national rights, pacification of the country and other generalities. Platforms, however, are virtually negligible, since the campaign is being waged on personalities.

125,000 Children Will Have Gardens

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Chicago, March 22.—One hundred and twenty-five thousand Chicago school children will have truck gardens this year, according to Dudley Grant Hayes, head of the school extension work. The vegetables they raise will be worth more than a million dollars, he estimates.

Hayes has asked the school authorities to grant special credits for school garden work, and is arranging for paid instructors to advise the young gardeners.

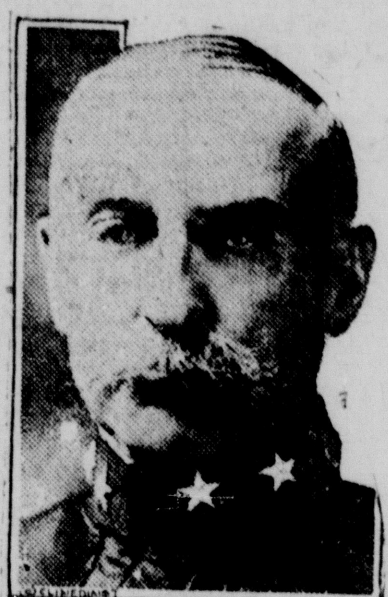
Chicago had 90,000 child gardeners last year, as compared to 65,000 in New York city. Pupils of one school cleared more than \$2,000 on an investment of \$257.

Boxing Enthusiasts Greet Carpentier

By Associated Press Leased Wire
New York, March 22.—Boxing promoters and enthusiasts assembled in New York today to welcome Georges Carpentier, the French pugilist, who with his bride, was a passenger on the steamship LaSavie, which arrived off this port early today. Carpentier will remain here five days and then will depart for the Pacific coast. During his stay in the United States it is expected he will sign a contract to meet Jack Dempsey.

Mr. and Mrs. John Nagle have moved from 221 Monroe Ave. to 506 First street.

ACCUSED



ADMIRAL W. S. BENSON

Rear Admiral Benson was today named by Rear Admiral Sims as the official who told the latter "not to let the British pull the wool over your eyes; we would as soon fight them as the Germans."

OPERATION OF PLANT BY GOVT. IS RECOMMENDED

Baker Says Uncle Sam Can Make Money in Nitrates.

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Washington, March 22.—An annual profit of \$2,000,000 would result from government operation of the Muscle Shoals, Ala., nitrate plant for manufacture of commercial fertilizer, Secretary Baker today told the senate agriculture committee. The secretary advocated passage of the war department bill to organize a \$12,500,000 government corporation to operate the plant for commercial purposes.

The department's calculations, Mr. Baker said, showed that cyanamide could be produced for \$27 a ton and sold for \$37.50 a ton, while sulphate of ammonia, in the production of which the government experts propose to specialize, would cost \$18.22 a ton to produce and would sell for \$65. Chilean interests now supplying fertilizer to this country could not compete with these figures, he said.
The other courses left open to the department, the secretary said, are salvage of the \$72,000,000 plant or its retention to meet some future emergency.

Begin Hearings to Fix Income to Roads

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Washington, March 22.—Hearings to determine the basis for an adjustment of railroad rates so as to yield the roads a return of 5 1/2 per cent on their aggregate value as provided in the new transportation law began today before the interstate commerce commission.

The commission is to determine whether the adjustment shall be made for the carriers as a whole, or in rate groups or territories to be designated by it and what methods shall be employed in determining the aggregate value of the railroad property. Representatives of practically all the railroads and shippers' organizations were present.

Wilson Again Has His Copy of Pact

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Washington, March 22.—The official copy of the treaty of Versailles which President Wilson brought from Paris and personally presented to the senate and which was returned to the White House Saturday is again in the president's possession.
Secretary Tumulty received the treaty from George A. Sanderson, secretary of the senate, and later delivered it to Mr. Wilson.

No word came from the White House today as to the president's probable course with regard to the treaty.

Freeport Man to Address Kiwanians

Arthur A. Haas, of Freeport, will be the speaker before the regular weekly meeting of the Dixon Kiwanis club tomorrow noon. The Kiwanians will meet at 2:15 at the Episcopal church parlors where luncheon will be served by the ladies of the church. Mr. Haas will take upon the housing problem, a subject with he is thoroughly conversant, he having headed this movement in Freeport this spring. The board of directors of the Chamber of Commerce will meet with the Kiwanians and listen to the address by Mr. Haas.

ELKS MEET THIS EVENING

The regular semi-monthly meeting of Dixon lodge, No. 779, B. P. O. Elks will be held this evening at 8 o'clock.

POLICE GET TRACK OF TALL MEMBER OF SMUDKA HOLD-UP DUO

Came to Dixon From Sterling—Other May Be Local Man.

The authorities today are continuing their investigation of the robbery of the Ben Smudka home on East River street early Friday evening, but gave out no new information. The police are still of the belief that one of the parties in the case was a Dixonite, but that the other was "imported." It has been learned that the tall man, who visited the Smudka home last Tuesday noon under the guise of being a prospective purchaser, is from out of town.

That the tall man came to Dixon Friday evening on the 8 o'clock interurban car from Sterling has been substantiated. Members of the interurban crew state that the stranger boarded the car at the Sterling waiting room, coming to Dixon and left the car at the corner of Galena avenue and First street. Their description of the stranger tallies identically with that given the police by Mrs. Smudka.

Short One the "Brains."

The shorter man, who wore a mask covering his face, spoke very few words while in the house and is believed to have been the one who planned the robbery. Saturday afternoon the police visited the Smudka home and learned that the tall man carried a revolver and small wrecking bar. The revolver was displayed upon entering, but soon devoted his time to prying the locks off the trunks with the small bar. Mrs. Smudka told the officers Saturday afternoon that the men threatened to pour kerosene on her clothing and set her clothes afire if she did not tell them where the money was hid. She displayed a large spot on the table where, according to her statement, kerosene had been poured from a lamp by one of the men.

That the short man was a "home guard" is evidenced by the fact that he carried a double barreled shot gun, which would only serve to hamper a professional. He, it has been learned, carried the strips of cloth which were used in binding and gagging Mr. and Mrs. Smudka.

JACOB SMITH, FORMER DIXON MAN, IS DEAD

Jacob E. Smith, for many years a resident of Dixon, passed away at his home in Chicago Saturday afternoon at 1:30, death resulting from an illness of several days duration. Mr. Smith was born in Green Castle, Pa., July 21, 1849. In 1880 he came west to Dixon and was united in marriage here, Feb. 26, 1895, to Miss Nellie Stanbrough. The couple removed to Chicago about 11 years ago where they have since resided.

The body arrived in Dixon yesterday. Funeral services will be conducted at the residence of Mrs. Stanbrough, 311 Summit street Tuesday afternoon at 2:30. Rev. E. C. Lumsden will conduct the service and burial will take place in Oakwood.

Besides his wife, the deceased is survived by one brother, David R. Smith, of Beatrice, Neb., and a sister, Mrs. Crist, of Columbia, Pa.

Apostol's Creed; He Was the First

Hannibal, Mo., March 22.—Ispos Apostol, a Rumanian, is under arrest here charged with manufacturing and selling intoxicating liquors, the first violation of the prohibition act to be brought up in northeast Missouri. He was taken into custody Saturday evening at Ispas, a village inhabited chiefly by foreign cement workers, two miles from Hannibal. Officers who made the arrest took charge of a large quantity of raisins a coil and kettle and six barrels of liquor, which were secreted in a cave.

WITH ROCKFORD CLUB.

Ray Springer, superintendent and greenskeeper of the Dixon Country club keeps for the past two years, has accepted the same position this year with the Rockford Country club, which has a large eighteen hole course.

POPULATION

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Washington, March 22.—Population statistics announced today by the census bureau included:
Alton, Ill., 24,714, an increase of 7186, or 41.0 per cent over 1910.
Newton, Iowa, 6627, increase 2011 or 43.6 per cent.
Bismarck, N. D., 6561, increase 1598 or 27.7 per cent.
Kokook, Ia., 14,423, increase 415 or 3.0 per cent.
Columbia, Mo., 10,681, increase 1019 or 10.5 per cent.
Columbia, S. C., 37,524, increase 11,295, or 42.6 per cent over 1910.

CONDITIONS CANNOT BE PAINTED TOO BLACKLY SAYS GERMAN OFFICIAL

Civil War Exists in Territory Nearest Allied Armies.

By Associated Press Leased Wire

London, March 22.—Heavy fighting occurred in the Moabit quarter of Berlin Sunday night, but quiet prevails elsewhere in the city, according to a dispatch to the Central News from Berlin by way of Amsterdam.

Little Change in Strike Situation

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Berlin, March 22.—There has been little change in the strike situation since yesterday, except that the city railway this morning began a fairly regular service. The inner city and the adjacent streets still present the aspect of an armed camp. The mortars, machine guns and wire entanglements were viewed by thousands of Sunday promenaders.

The lower class places of entertainment were largely patronized yesterday but theatres and big restaurants and cafes were closed because of insufficient electric current. The little food still obtainable through illicit dealers is bringing fabulous prices.
Of the rationed foodstuffs neither potatoes nor bread could be obtained during the last week.

Political Crisis Considered Dangerous

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Paris, March 22.—There is much dissatisfaction in Berlin regarding the agreement reached between the labor interests and the government yesterday, according to information sent the French foreign office. The terms are being resisted by the majority faction of the syndicalists and also by the independent socialists. The latter it was declared, were dissatisfied because they had not been consulted and both the protesting bodies desire the repudiation of Carl Legien, president of the German Federation of Trades Unions, who acted in behalf of that organization.

The Central Strike bureau, the advice state is claiming the right to call off the strike, and this is bringing up the menace of another political crisis, this menace is considered the gravest feature of the situation.

Conditions Cannot Be Painted Too Black

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Berlin, March 21.—Conditions in Germany were described by the ministry of defense this morning as extremely serious.
"You cannot paint the situation throughout Germany too black," an official at the ministry declared to the correspondent after a survey of reports that had come in during the night.

The towns of Oelde, Ahlen and Drensteinfurt, in Westphalia, south-east of Muenster, had been taken by the communists, it was stated, and the movement was spreading north and east.

Several Pitched Battles
Pitched battles had been fought, the ministry's information showed, and two crack regiments of government troops had been forced to fall back on the fortress of Wesel, on the right bank of the Rhine 22 miles northwest of Essen, after heavy losses had been sustained on both sides. Ten officers in one regiment were killed.

The Red army, it was added, was well armed with artillery.

Further Excesses in Leipzig

An official report from Leipzig says that no further excesses occurred on Saturday and that several points attacked by the workmen were occupied by troops. In the suburbs, however, the workmen refused to abandon their positions. Further communist reinforcements have arrived, the reports added. Railway traffic was fully resumed on Sunday.

In the Halle district the position was reported worse from a government aspect. Counter action among the workmen is threatened through the calling of a strike if a Soviet republic is proclaimed. Communists are declared to be preventing willing men from resuming their work.

"Bad" in Berlin

The situation in Berlin itself was characterized as "bad." In one case a company of volunteers had been overpowered by Spartacan forces, its officers killed and their bodies mutilated. This occurred near the Johannes Aviation grounds. The government forces recaptured Adlershof and Johannistal from which they had been driven, killing twenty of the red troops and capturing 24 others, who were promptly executed.
The southern and eastern parts of

Brief Summary German Revolt

BRIEF SUMMARY—
BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS.
Berlin, notwithstanding the return of the Ebert government to control there, still presents pretty much the aspect of an armed camp with the food supply short and sanguinary fighting occurring at intervals in the suburbs.

Serious trouble occurred in the Moabit industrial quarter Sunday night and in one conflict reported Sunday 20 Spartacans were killed in an engagement and 24 others who were captured were summarily executed.

In the Ruhr industrial region, immediately adjoining the Allied zone of occupation, there is veritable civil warfare, with opposing armies of communist and government troops drawing up their forces in line for battle. Government detachments have been defeated in some preliminary skirmishes.

Leipzig has quieted down after the government victory there. Among the agricultural population in some sections of northern Germany there is increasing unrest.

Southern and eastern Germany are reported fairly quiet. There is a threat, however, of a renewal of the general strike in Bavaria because of dissatisfaction over some of the terms of settlement.

Germany are reported quiet, although unrest was said to be spreading among the agricultural population in Pomerania and Mecklenberg. The communists were still in charge today at Stettin. At Kiel, which the troops had left, conditions were reported quiet.

To the north of the Spree, in the Berlin district, the outposts of the regulars have been withdrawn, leaving in detachments to guard the stockyards and railway station.

Protectors of Berlin

The marine brigade and the Baltic troops, which occupied Berlin during the Kapp regime, have been cleared out from Charlottenburg and have joined the other military units at the Doberitz camp, where all are refitting. These troops, it was stated, will be counted as the chief protectors of Berlin. Neukolln and Tempelhof, the workmen's residence quarters in the suburbs, have been quieted by government troops activities.

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Stuttgart, March 22.—Troops from Silesia are officially reported to have arrived in the Ruhr district and fighting with the Spartacan army there is expected tomorrow. It was officially stated here that the estimates placing the size of the Red forces in the Ruhr region at 70,000 are exaggerated.

A general strike has been called in Munich and it is expected the movement will extend throughout Bavaria unless it is stopped as a result of the negotiation now in progress to settle the demands of the workmen to pay during the period they were on strike against the Kapp regime. Meetings are to be held by the councils of workmen to consider if similar action should be taken throughout Wurttemberg.

Reports from Muremburg said that city was quiet on Sunday, following some disorders the previous night.

Negotiations at Berlin Interrupted

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Paris, March 22.—Negotiations by members of the Ebert Government, party leaders of the German national assembly and delegates of workers, which have been going on at Berlin are declared in an official British report to have been interrupted because of an increase in the claims of workers.

Spartacan forces still control Stettin, Dusseldorf, Elberfeld and Essen, where great disorder prevails. Kiel and in southwest Germany are quiet, but some agitation is reported in agricultural sections of Pomerania and Mecklenburg.

Red Forces in Ruhr Valley 20,000

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Paris, March 22.—Spartacan forces in the Ruhr Valley of Germany number at least 20,000 and some estimate them at forty thousand, according to latest advices to the foreign office. They are well organized, and are supposed to be (Continued on Page 2)

Society

Monday
Peoria Ave. Reading Club—Mrs. F. K. Tribou, 524 Third St.
W. R. C. Meeting—G. A. R. Hall.
Stjernan Club Meeting—Miss Anna Cheate.
Hoi Polloi Club—Miss Dolly Fauth.
Tuesday
Phidian Art Club—Mrs. Abner Barlow.
Practical Club—Mrs. W. J. Worsley.
Service Star Legion—G. A. R. Hall.
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Wednesday
Ideal Club—Mrs. Roy Bridges.
Thursday
Eldena Missionary Society—Mrs. Chas. Littrell.
W. R. P. C. Club—Henry Schmidt.
Friday
Auxiliary St. Luke's Church—Guild Room.
Be-Jolly Club—Mrs. W. O. Carson.

AMBOY ENTERTAINMENT—

A large and appreciative audience greeted the performers at the entertainment given in St. Patrick's hall, Amboy, March 17th. The program, as announced by John Sullivan, was thoroughly enjoyed. The opening number, a piano solo, was well rendered by Lillian Curtin. A reading, clearly given by Frank Bormaeir, was followed by the humorous recitation of Frances Brady, who responded to applause with an encore. Little Shirley Jackson captivated the audience, singing, "Till We Meet Again." She also responded to demands for an encore. The next number was rather unusual. Little Helen McIntyre displayed much natural talent in accompanying her own solo, "When You Look in the Heart of a Rose." Elizabeth Hegert, always a favorite, in her sweet voice sang, "You Don't Have to Come from Ireland to be Irish," responding to applause with "An Irish Lullaby." Elizabeth and her dolly were beautifully costumed in green and gold and her clever singing brought much applause. In the rendition of "Kathleen MacEvoy," Mary Fenton gave her hearers a real treat as her sweet tones floated out to them. She also responded to demands for an encore. A dialogue, with clever character impersonations, was followed by a drill, in which sixteen little girls, marching gracefully and faultlessly in the three part drill. During the pauses Elizabeth Hegert as gracefully as a fairy, gave a feature dance which included an Irish jig and Geraldine Underwood, in her interpretation of a genuine hoo-down was simply inimitable. The program concluded with a song in chorus in which each of seven little girls possessed of a better presented to the audience, "Ireland" and sang, "A Little Bit of Heaven." After the program dancing was indulged in until midnight.

ROBERTSON-BAER—

The Sycamore paper contains the following account of the marriage of Donald Baer, a nephew of Mrs. O. H. Martin of this city, who spent a few days of his honeymoon here:
Friends here have received an announcement of the wedding of Miss Helen Robertson, of Beardstown, and Donald J. Baer, of Beardstown, Ill., formerly of Sycamore. The event took place Monday of this week at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Robertson. Mrs. Baer is not known to local people, but the groom has countless friends here, where he made his home for years, living with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. William M. McAllister, in Sycamore. Since returning from service with the boys of the 129th infantry, he has been managing the McAllister store at Beardstown, where the acquaintance of the young folks which culminated in their marriage took place, had its beginning. They will be at home to their friends at Clinton, Ill., after a brief honeymoon.

ST. LUKE'S AUXILIARY—

The Women's Auxiliary of St. Luke's church will hold a meeting in the Guild rooms of the church Friday afternoon, March 26th, at 2:30 p. m. Mrs. C. E. Chandler will give an article on the work of Right Rev. John C. Sage, in the district of Carolina. Kansas. Mrs. Herbert Martin will have charge of the music and will give a paper on negroes in this country.

SUBLETTE MAN WEBS—

Mendota Reporter: Wednesday evening, March 17th, St. Patrick's evening, the wedding of Miss Helen Marie Shaw, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Shaw, of this city, to Mr. Harrison L. Paige, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. N. Paige, of Sublette, Ill., took place.
They were married at the residence of the Methodist church at the hour of 8:30 by the minister of that church, Rev. H. W. Duck. They were attended by a brother and sister of the bride, C. A. Shaw and Alma Shaw. The bride was attired in a beaver brown suit with hat to match, and wore a corsage bouquet of Ophelia roses.
The bride is a popular young lady of this city, having lived here all of her life. She was a graduate of the Mendota high school in 1914, and has taught school in LaSalle county since that time. At the present time she

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MARIE LUCCI

New York, March 19.—When Marie Lucci, 20, who shot and killed her sister Mrs. Angelina Conti is brought to trial the district attorney's office of New York city will have to cope with a defense that has no precedent.
Marie on giving herself up to Atlantic City police said that she killed her sister because the latter wanted to make her live a life of shame.
"When I refused on the night I killed her," says Marie, "she pointed a revolver at me and then later said, 'Oh, well, I'll make Concertina do it'."
Concertina was Mrs. Conti's 9-year-old daughter.

CHURCH NOTES.

THE METHODIST CHURCH.
The services at the Methodist church were well attended yesterday. The interest is on the increase. At the morning service the pastor preached the sermon for the W. F. M. S. A. splendid offering was taken. Mrs. E. E. Wingert gave a comprehensive outline of the work being done by this society. Rev. Briggs sang a solo which was much enjoyed.
At the evening hour Rev. Briggs gave a sermon on "The Lost Christ." He brought very forcefully the need of great care in keeping the life open to the Christ and his influence. The meetings will continue through next Sunday. You will find great help and inspiration in these services.
Rev. Chas. Briggs of the Rock River Ministerial Quartet will sing to-night. You must not miss hearing him. The service will begin at 7:30. Wednesday evening will be Sunday school service.

PRESBYTERIAN NOTES.
The Circle of the Westminster Guild will meet at the home of Miss Betty Forrest, 312 Ottawa avenue on Monday, March 22nd. The members will respond to the roll call with a Bible verse on Faith. All girls between the ages of twelve and eighteen are welcome.
Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7:30. The subject will be, "The Grace of Our Lord Jesus Christ."
The Woman's Missionary society will meet on Friday afternoon at 2:30 with Mrs. W. H. Coppins. The devotionals will be in charge of Miss Hitchcock and roll call responses will relate to "Endurance." Topic for the day, "The Moslem Lands, Persia, Syria and Arabia." All the women of the church are invited.
Choir practice Saturday evening at 7:30 sharp.
Special services will be held during Holy week. The pastor will be assisted by the Rev. Chester Irwin of Sterling and the Rev. W. H. Manshardt of Ashton.
Easter, which occurs April 4, will be an important day in the calendar of our church. It is expected that a large number of new members will be received into membership. Those desiring to unite either by letter or confession of faith kindly communicate with the pastor or any member of the session soon.
The "Indians" who took part in the Sunday school exercises were quite realistic and were very much enjoyed. The offering for mission work among the Indians was generous.

AT C. B. MORRISON HOME—
Attorney Mathews, of Chicago, has joined his wife and children in a visit at the home of Attorney and Mrs. C. B. Morrison.

SERVICE STAR LEGION—
The Service Star Legion will hold its regular meeting on Tuesday afternoon in G. A. R. hall.

MRS. HOWARD EXPECTED—
Mrs. Howard, who is spending the winter in Florida, is expected to arrive in Dixon, next week.

SERVICE STAR LEGION—
The Service Star Legion will meet at the G. A. R. rooms tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 p. m.

WILL SING FOR CLUB—
Rev. and Mrs. Tidball will sing a duet at the Phidian Art club meeting tomorrow.

W. R. P. C. CLUB—
The W. R. P. C. club will meet on Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Henry Schmidt.

IDEAL CLUB TO MEET—
The Ideal club will meet Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Roy Bridges.

WAS PROFITABLE SALE—
The Ladies of St. James church cleared \$42.46 at the home baking sale held Saturday.

BE-JOLLY CLUB—
The Be-Jolly club will meet with Mrs. W. O. Carson, Friday for an all-day meeting.

HIGH SCHOOL B. B. LEAGUE
By Associated Press Leased Wire
Decatur, Ill., March 22.—High school teams of Maroa, Stonington, Moweaqua, Blue Mound, Illinois and Arthur have formed a six club base ball league and will open play April 9.

U. I. STAR SIGNS CONTRACT
Decatur, Ill., March 22.—George Hallas, one of the best all around athletes ever developed at the University of Illinois and last season given a trial with the New York Americans, has signed a contract to play with the Staley team of the Industrial League.

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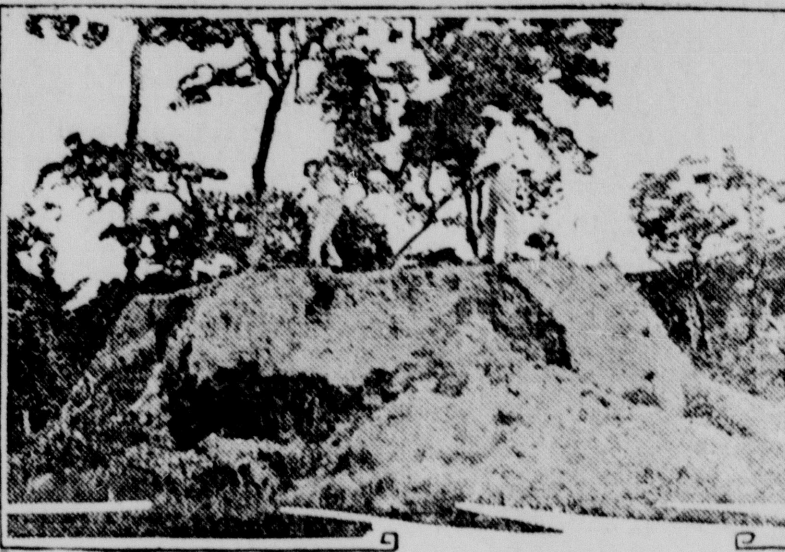
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Sister Mary's Kitchen

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There's nothing like being ready for things when they come. Nowadays when the housekeeper is so dependent on her own muscle any brush or broom that will save her strength or time is very much worth her while.
Soft brushes are a big help in washing woodwork. The bristles "take hold" better than a cloth and do not endanger the finish.
Soaps and polishing creams for silver and brass wear are all necessary for the spring cleaning.
Floor wax for linoleum and hardwood floors is easy to use if on hand at the moment.
Menu for Tomorrow.
BREAKFAST—Baked apples, cooked cereal, toast, coffee.
LUNCHEON—Rinkum diddle, French cake, canned peaches, tea.
DINNER—Boiled mutton, caper sauce, steamed rice, mashed turnips, grapefruit salad, brown Betty, coffee.
My Own Recipes.
They say there's nothing in a name, but surely "rinkum diddle" would not be half so good if known as tomato cheese on toast. If one is serving a number of people in the evening this rinkum diddle dish is unusually easy and good. It can be made in a chafing dish in the dining-room or behind closed doors in the kitchen.
RINKUM DIDDLE.
3 tablespoons butter.
2 tablespoons flour.
3 tablespoons cream.
1/2 teaspoon soda.
1/2 cup strained tomato juice.
2 cups grated cheese.
3 eggs.
Melt butter stir in flour. Add cream. Dissolve soda in tomato juice. Add to first mixture. Add cheese and cook, stirring constantly, till cheese is melted. Add eggs slightly beaten. Season with salt and pepper and serve on triangles of hot toast.
FRENCH CAKE.
1 1/2 cups sugar.
3 eggs.
1 cup butter.
1 cup milk.
3 cups flour.
3 teaspoons baking powder.
1 teaspoon vanilla.
1/2 teaspoon salt.
Cream butter and sugar. Add well-beaten yolks of eggs. Sift flour, baking powder and salt together and add alternately with milk. Add whites of eggs, beaten stiff and dry, the last thing. Bake in layers and put together with chocolate icing.
CAPER SAUCE.
1/2 cup butter.
1 1/2 tablespoons flour.
1 cup teaspoon salt.
1/4 teaspoon pepper.
1-2 cup capers.
Make a sauce of the butter, flour and water. Season with salt and pepper and add capers, drained from their liquor or not, as one desires. If the liquid is used, use two tablespoons of flour in making the sauce.
When Alice was in Wonderland she was amazed at the Mad Tea Party. What would she think of today's "tea fights"?
MARY.

NOTICE.
The City of Dixon invites proposals for the removal of garbage from residences and apartments in Dixon, the work to commence on April 1st, and continuing till Nov. 1st 1920.
Wm. V. Slothower, Commissioner of Health and Safety.
1913
—If you have any article of clothing or furniture you wish to sell, now is a good time to dispose of it. An ad in the Telegraph will bring results.
—Engraved calling cards. B. F. Shaw Ptg. Co.

GOLFERS IN AFRICA USE ANT HILLS FOR TEES AND BUNKERS



Golfers on Congo ant hill.
BY EDWARD M. THIERRY.
Reporter With Smithsonian-University African Expedition.
Elizabethville, Congo.—Ever see an ant hill as big as a house?
There's plenty of them in the Belgian Congo. They were a nuisance until a golf club was formed in Elizabethville. By the industry of the ants the club had a made-to-order golf course!
The whole Congo landscape is dotted with the huge mounds of earth made by the ants. They're in forest and clearing. Natives used to follow them out and use them as houses.
Golfers in Elizabethville leveled off the tops of some of the hills and used them as tees. Others became bunkers. One tee was placed at the side of a monster ant hill and the hole was on the other side. It necessitated an "airplane" drive with a niblick.
M. A. B. Benton-Thompson, British vice consul to the Congo, and golf champion of Elizabethville, negotiated this remarkable hole once "in two."
It cost \$200,000 to clear away ant hills when the town of Elizabethville was laid out.
The ants—or white ants, as they are called scientifically know as termites. They are the chaps that eat wood. Hence the construction of brick houses in Elizabethville.

Intercollegiate Title Now at Stake

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Chicago, March 22.—The University of Chicago and the University of Pennsylvania, will meet tonight at Bartlett gymnasium in the first of a series of three games to decide the national intercollegiate basketball championship, the second time the two schools have clashed for the title.
The second game will be played at Philadelphia Wednesday and a third if necessary at Princeton. The Maroons are champions of the western conference and Pennsylvania is the leader in the eastern collegiate conference. Chicago defeated Pennsylvania for the national championship in 1908.
Preceding the maroon-Pennsylvania game Wingate and Crawfordville both of Indiana, will meet in the final of the intercollegiate basketball tournament.
SECOND K. T. SPECIAL.
The second special convocation of Dixon Commandery No. 21 Knights Templar will be held at the asylum at 7:30 o'clock tomorrow evening for degree work. A special meeting of the Commandery will also be held this evening.

SITUATION IN IRELAND RIFE WITH ANARCHY

Murder of Lord Mayor of Cork Climax of Black Week.

By Associated Press Leased Wire
London, March 22.—Despatches from Ireland show the murder of Thomas MacCurtain, Lord Mayor of Cork, to have produced an intense, if subdued sensation throughout Ireland. This tragedy, says the London Times correspondent in Dublin, closed one of the blackest weeks since the rebellion of 1916. He gives a long list of outrages in various parts of the island, including five murders if police men and others and an attempt to kill Professor Stockley of Cork.
No motive for the murder has been uncovered. No arrests have been reported, nor so far as known have any clues to the perpetrators been obtained. Among the theories advanced is one that MacCurtain was murdered as a warning to others because he recently had the courage to publicly denounce an attempt to murder a policeman in Cork.
London newspapers while unreservedly condemning the crime, maintain it does not differ from those which have long terrorized Ireland. It is declared that Ireland for the moment is largely under the domination of secret murder societies, the members of which are sworn to kill those whom they believe to stand in their way.
Even newspapers which support home rule, denounce Irishmen for condoning methods which, they say, are fast establishing a condition of anarchy and terrorism.

MILK CAR DERAILED.
Derailment of the milk car west of Central Park siding Sunday afternoon again disarranged traffic on the S. D. & E., causing the interurbans to be delayed over an hour during the afternoon Sunday rush of business.

KNIGHTS TEMPLAR SPECIAL.
A special convocation of Dixon Commandery No. 21, Knights Templar, will be held at 7:30 o'clock this evening for degree work.

—Look now please at the little yellow tag on your Telegraph.

Cummins Will Have Fight for His Seat

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Des Moines, Iowa, March 22.—Announcement of the candidacy of Colonel Smith Brookhart of Washington county for the republican nomination of United States Senator from Iowa, was published here today. He will oppose United States Senator Albert Cummins.

For Colds, Catarrh or Influenza



Do you feel weak and unequal to the work ahead of you? Do you still cough a little, or does your nose bother you? Are you pale? Is your blood thin and watery? Better put your body into shape. Build strong!
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Catarrh should be treated, first, as a blood disease, with this alternative. Then, in addition, the nose should be washed daily with Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy.
Send 10c for trial pkg. of Medical Discovery Tablets or Catarrh Tablets to Dr. Pierce's Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y.

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LIFT UP YOUR EYES

The city stood amazed; out in the velvet
night massed throngs stood in silent ecstasy;
preachers with their congregations stood in
unvoiced awe gazing up; mariners on the
broad decks of ten thousand ships stood at
their posts bathed in quiet reverence; men
and women everywhere caught the contagion
of the revelation, looked up and away from
the rut of routine, and were caught in the
spiritual exaltation that glimpses the infinite
at work.

For high above the little world of men was
a heaven filled with other worlds; worlds up
on worlds, glowing with all the rainbow col-
ors in procession; immensities on immensities
parading before the hosts of heaven, and
calling to every fibre of the universe "Glory,
Glory, Lord God Almighty, Heaven and
Earth are full of Thee, Heaven and Earth are
Praising Thee, Lord God Most High!"

When was this?
Oh, this happens every night, so far as the
heavens are concerned; the only lacking el-
ement in the picture is that poor, blind, be-
nighted man keeps bowing down to wood
and stone, and doesn't lift up his eyes to the
eternal hills where the glory and the majesty
of creation are displayed.

Clouds piled up miles high; glowing with
life colors; mightier than any mortal moun-
tain range; more wonderful than any earthly
architecture; clouds above us, sometimes al-
most enfolding mankind with their marvels,
and the only time man notices them is when
it rains and he has left his umbrella at home.
The wonders of God are common; so com-
mon that many waste their reverence on the
imitation pasteboard settings of clever men,
and give more praise to the painter of a pud-
dle than to the creator of an ocean.

GOOD READING.

The garden seed catalog is like a book of
poetry to one who reads it by the evening
light in March.

He reads the names of herbs for a vege-
table garden—sage and sweet marjoram,
savory, taragon and fennel.

There's poetry of a sort even in names of
varieties of cabbage. Flat Dutch, Jersey
Wakefield, Danish Round Head.

The catalog tells of peas to be picked with
the dew on them, fresh for the table. It re-
cites a list of table joys almost unknown to
the restaurant—broccoli, chives, chervil, car-
doon, shallot.

There's news in the catalog, too. A few
years ago the news was of a new and more
savory sweet corn called "Golden Bantam."

Now, another grower has produced a var-
iety which has the color and flavor of "Gol-
den Bantam" with the greater size of "Coun-
try Gentleman."

He crossed the small, yellow variety with
the larger white, selected the few yellow
grains from the large ears grown the first
year, planted these, and kept up this process
of selection and all golden. The one who did
that is a city man, Dr. Frederick DeLue, an
oculist, of Boston, Mass.

So there is adventure as well as poetry
written in the garden seed catalog.

"ASK YOUR WIFE."

Not knowing whether to sign for 1920 at
the salary offered him, Heinie Groh, re-
nowned third baseman of the world-cham-
pion Reds, consulted with his wife, as he
freely admits.

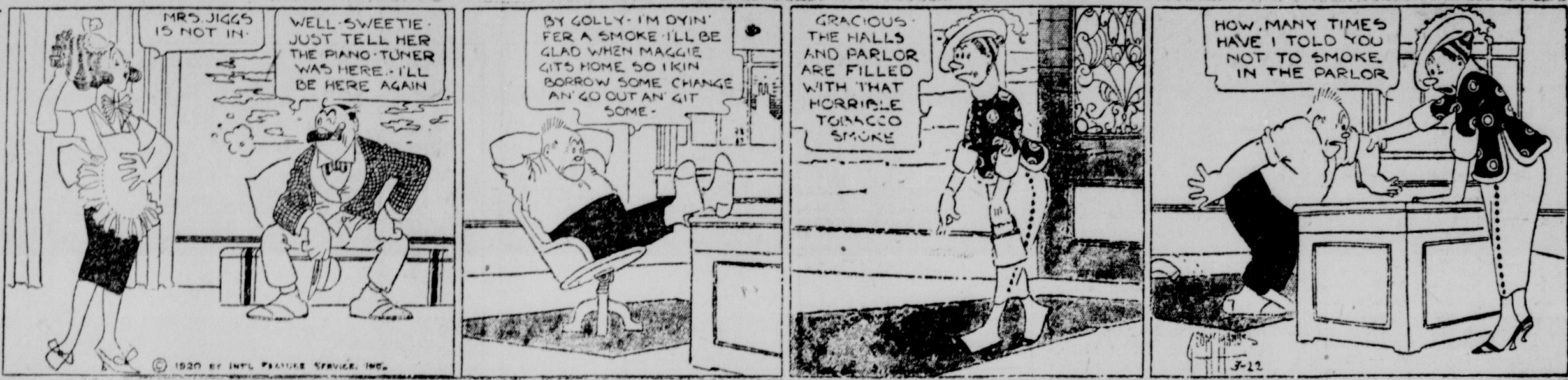
"Aren't we partners?" says Groh. "Don't
we share out of the same old pocketbook? I
want my wife to be interested in my business
affairs. Who better than a wife knows what's
good for a fellow?"

(You said a mouthful, Heinie, as the boys
in the bleachers would say.)

In fact, the wisdom of Groh is like that of
the wholesome philosopher, Benjamin Frank-

BRINGING UP FATHER

by
George
McManus



lin, who, describing the early years of his
married life, wrote thus in his autobiograph-
y:

"We have an English proverb that says:
'He that would thrive must ask his wife.' It
was lucky for me that I had one as much dis-
posed to industry and frugality as myself. She
and me cheerfully in my business."

Only once, says Franklin, did he have fault
to find with his partner's judgment. That
was on an occasion when, "without his
knowledge," she bought him a China bowl
and silver spoon "costing the enormous sum
of three and twenty shillings."

And how about your wife, Mr. Reader? Is
she an active or silent partner in your affairs?
Your business is her business, but how much
does she know of it?

The ballplayer, like the philosopher, points
the way to successful matrimony. It is a
smooth, wide road open to all.

"He that would thrive must ask his wife."
So said Franklin and so says Groh.

Well dressed men in Paris are to wear
trousers with frills on the ankles, they say.
We have some pants with fringes around the
edges at the ankles but never thought they
were stylish.

Many a poor arithmetic scholar has devel-
oped into a wizard at figures as a grown up
man totaling the exemptions he claims in his
income tax.

More people remember Job because of his
boils rather than his patience. They can
visualize boils.

JUST JOKING

COULDN'T AFFORD TO BE RICH

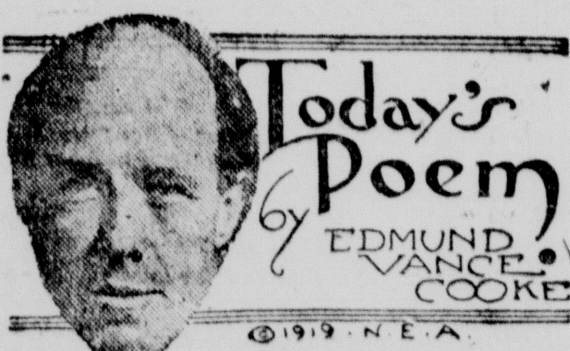
Char—Sorry to inform you, mum, as I shan't be able to
come no more.
Lady—And why not, Mrs. Bousier?
Char—Can't afford it, mum. Me 'ushan' says if I earns
any more 'e'll 'ave to pay income tax.—London Punch.

AN UNLAUNCHED BOOM

Nobody seems to mention Burleson for president. "He
kept us out of mail."—Minneapolis Journal.

EVIDENTLY

Some candidates who throw their hats into the ring evi-
dently have substitutes through which they continue to
talk.—Rocky Mountain News.



TOAD-IN-THE-ROAD

Top o' the morning, Toad-in-the-road!
With your wondering, wicked eyes,
And his tongue shot out as he flopped
about;—
"It's a wonderful day for flies."

Top o' the morning, Snake-in-the-grass!
The grass by the rainy roads,
And he flashed a fang as he hissed and
sang;—
"It's a wonderful day for toads."

Top o' the morning, Boar-in-the-wood!
Whose muzzle slavers and shakes,
And he tusked the flesh through a scaly
mesh;—
"It's a wonderful day for snakes."

Top o' the morning, Soul-in-the-flesh!
Whose weapons spits and roars,
And the bullet sung in exultant tongue;—
"It's a wonderful day for boars."

Top o' the morning, Call-of-us-all,
Checking the dusty scrolls,
And your sickle sweeps as somebody weeps
"It's a wonderful day for souls."

Top o' the morning, Toad-in-the-road!
Who knows what the design?
But surely the fate of little and great
Must make you brother of mine.

ADVENTURES OF THE TWINS

by Olive Roberts Barton

MRS. SNAKE'S TRICK
Presently Mrs. Lion returned with a basket of feathers and a can of glue.
Mrs. Snake was waiting for her, and Nick and Nancy could see how her eyes
glittered, as though Mrs. Lion wasn't the only one in the world who had a
plan.

"Won't I look elegant!" smirked Mrs. Lion, thinking of how fashionable
she was going to be at the Jungle Beauty show, with a real feather-bow
around her neck. "Miss Hippopotamus with her powder, and Mrs. Camel with
her dieting, and Mrs. Leopard with her spots painted out, won't be in it with
me," she bragged. "I haven't seen fashion journals for nothing. Now, Mrs.
Snake, if you're ready I am. Just stretch yourself out straight, will you, and
I'll put the glue on first."

Mrs. Snake did as her neighbor advised and for a while Mrs. Lion worked
busily. There were all sorts of feathers in her basket, and all colors, for the



"Really, Mrs. Snake," she declared, "I never knew I could make you so
beautiful!"

birds had been generous, and pretty soon Mrs. Snake looked like a very ex-
pensive feather-bow. I should say about a forty-nine dollar one, and perhaps
ninety-eight cents, too!"

Mrs. Lion was so pleased that she kept on smiling as she thought of how
surprised everyone was going to be.

"Really, Mrs. Snake," she declared, "I never knew I could make you so
beautiful. You're simply wonderful! I'm sure I shall win two prizes when I
wear you."

But just then something happened. Mrs. Snake began to wriggle away,
ever so slowly at first, then faster and faster, and finally she disappeared into
the bushes. "Good bye," she called. "And thank you for fixing me up. I've
decided to get that beautiful prize for myself."

Mrs. Lion was too surprised to speak.
"I thought so," laughed the Magical Mushroom. "But we'd better be go-
ing now. Green Shoes, are you ready?"

COMETS OF HUMOR

Maybe this comet of humor does
not have so far to go as some of the
others, for, at any rate, it comes in
to vision more frequently than many,
leaving behind it a spreading tail of
chuckles:

Mrs. Coal Oil Johnny: "When I
was in France the thing I enjoyed
the most was hearing the pheasants
singing the Mayonnaise."

Look for this comet any day. It
doesn't care when it comes back.



Movie of Two Brothers Going to Sleep.

Move over.
I'm on my side now.
You're not.
I am.
Ma, Mill's got more'n half the bed.
Hain't either, ma.
Gilt your feet off'n me.
Hain't touchin' you.
Ma, Bill's got his feet in my back.
Oh, what a whopper!
Cimma part of the blanket.
You got it all now.
Ma, Bill won't—
Say, if you boys don't shut up and
go to sleep I'll tell father when he
comes in!
Ho-hum!
Zzzzzzz!

Sue Doesn't Know Which to Do.



Sue won't be out for a year,
She's still in a sub-deb state.
Her company's something to fear,
She's awful to contemplate.
Men are a terror to Sue
For all the attraction they hold.
She can't quite decide what to do,
To kiss them or freeze them cold.

—Please call at this office and pay
your subscription of The Telegraph.

Uncle Sam

"UNCLE SAM, M. D., will an-
swer questions of general interest
relating to hygiene, sanitation, and
the prevention of disease. Address:
INFORMATION EDITOR, U. S.
Public Health Service, WASHING-
TON, D. C.

SPREADING WHOOPING-COUGH.

The germ of whooping-cough is
found in the sputum of persons hav-
ing the disease. During the fits of
coughing this infected sputum may be
thrown a considerable distance.
Therefore the first thing to do in the
prevention of the spread of this dis-
ease is to prevent the sputum from
the sick being taken into the system
of the well.

The sufferer should be provided with
a quantity of soft paper napkins. As
soon as these are soiled they should
be burned. Everything which has
come in contact with the patient
should be sterilized before it is al-
lowed to come in contact with other
people or things which may be handled
or used by other people.

Bedclothing, napkins, table linen,
towels, and the like may be sterilized
by boiling.

The great agencies in spreading
whooping-cough are the human fin-
gers, and of course, things which are
touched by them.

Eating utensils should be sterilized
carefully after each using.
If every household always properly
sterilized its eating and drinking
utensils with boiling water, there
would be a very great reduction in the
prevalence of the common contagious
diseases.

ANSWERED.

Q.—Will a babe one year old, having
a tendency to cross its eyes, outgrow
this habit? If not, is there anything
that could be done for him?

A.—It is seldom that a baby one
year of age, with pronounced squint,
can recover from this condition with-
out surgical interference. However,
in a number of milder cases the weak-
ened ocular muscles responsible for
this condition may be restored to nor-
mal tone by the use of prismatic
glasses, depending upon the severity
of the squint and age at which cor-
rection is attempted. It is recom-
mended, therefore, that the mother
lose no time in taking this child to a
competent oculist to be fitted with
glasses as soon as it has reached the
age when they can be safely worn. If
correction is neglected until later life
the optic nerve of the defective eye
atrophy from disuse with accom-
panying loss of vision.

Q.—Kindly explain to me what is
meant by a weak bladder. Some time
ago I was infected with gonorrhea,
and since then it comes back on me.

A.—A so-called weak bladder may
be the result of chronic gonorrhea.
Usually it is irritation due to an en-
larged prostate. You are advised to
be examined for gonorrhea. If you
are unable to afford the services of
a private physician, such examination
and treatment, if necessary, is ob-
tainable free of cost by applying to
your State Board of Health.

Q.—As far back as I can remember
I have been troubled with what seems
to be a clogged up nose. It is a con-
stant nuisance to me when I sleep.
Please advise me what your opinion of
this is, and what would be the best
remedy.

A.—It is impossible to say what the
trouble may be without making a very
careful examination. Sometimes
there is an obstruction due to ad-
enoids. Sometimes there are polyps.
Sometimes there is a thickening of the
nasal mucous membrane, so-called
hypertrophic rhinitis. Sometimes there
is a deflected nasal septum. By all
means go to a good nose and throat
specialist, have him give you a thor-
ough examination and follow his ad-
vice.

30 YEARS AGO IN DIXON TELEGRAPH

Col. A. P. Curry, a former citizen
of Dixon, was elected Justice of the
Peace at Spokane Falls.

Jesse P. Ludewick let the contract
for a new residence on Boyd street
near Gilbrath.

Miss Underwood resigned his posi-
tion as Instructor of Art at the Dixon
College.

Joseph Pennelaker, well known
Amboy man, died at his home in that
city.

Michael Jordan purchased of Hiram
Wood the brick business block that
had just been vacated by I. R. Coun-
tryman & Co., for a consideration of
\$9,000.

TEN YEARS AGO IN DIXON TELEGRAPH

Charles Huggins, chorister with Ev-
angelist Reader, was called home

Confessions of a Bride

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It was uncanny to see Chrys sleeping so quietly, day after day. Her body
was warm, but it was as still as if death had kissed it. A soft flush remain-
ed in her skin and by careful watch-
ing, one could detect the rise and
fall of her magnificent bosom.

Certeis pretended to be seeking
for the missing—Donna Camilla.
Never once did he hint that he was
in any way responsible for the spell
which that strange person had plac-
ed upon his beloved bride. Bob said
that it would be futile for any of us to make an issue of that point. All that
we could expect of Certeis, he was doing. He was taking care of the sleeping
beauty with all the skill which had brought him so much fame in his profes-
sion as a specialist in nervous diseases.

He kept our Chrys alive—but he did not bring her back to life!
Daddy Lorimer grew impatient, then desperate, and he announced that
he would take his daughter back to the United States immediately, and call
all the nerve experts in the country to waken her from her sleeping sickness.

At this, Hamilton Certeis shook his head emphatically.
"Remember, Mr. Lorimer, that all those men together cannot restore her
soul," he said solemnly. "Only the person who has wrought the spell knows
how to reunite her soul and her body!"

"Where is—her soul?" I gasped.
"Put that question to her—when she comes into possession of it again!"
was the reply. His answer set me to wondering about that strange borderland
of existence which has forever attracted man's interest, and which has reveal-
ed nothing to him. I intended to question Chrys—some day.

The whole situation was just mysterious enough, just plausible enough
to restrain Daddy Lorimer from carrying out his plan. He dared not risk
what Certeis prophesied. If Chrys were startled—or frightened out of her
somnambulistic condition, she might rise, as from the dead, but she would be
nothing more than beautiful walking doll forevermore!

Daddy and Certeis had several private conversations—but nothing result-
ed in consequence of them. Bob asserted that Certeis and Daddy recognized
each other as equal forces. For that reason, Daddy had been afraid to in-
vade the Mexican hacienda, war or no war. He knew very well that Hamilton
Certeis was too skillful a diplomat to interfere directly with the affairs of an-
other Lorimer—even when he had an unlimited opportunity to do so. What we
Lorimers had to dread was some unexpected, unaccountable and mysterious mis-
chance like the dreadful state of sleep in which Chrys was imprisoned.

And all of the time, we felt sure that Certeis could put his finger on Don-
na Camilla when he pleased to do so! Why did he not bring her back and
order her to undo the charm?

When we discussed this it required all the courage I could summon to tel-
my husband and his father what I thought.

I reminded Bob of Certeis' vow, made the night Bob was supposed to be
in a stupor from that dreadful blow on his head. Certeis had told me that I
was to be kept in Mexico until his own affairs were concluded, then I was to
be taken to Europe with him!

Certeis couldn't hold me in that hacienda against the will of my husband
and his father, but he could keep us all there as long as he could keep poor
Chrys' soul wandering apart from her lovely body!

It was horrible—horrible to feel that I was even remotely responsible for
my sister-in-law's condition. I had the comfort of knowing that the blame was
not entirely my own. Chrys had been changed to a beautiful mummy partly
to keep her from asserting her rights as a bride. She had come to Mexico to
get her husband—or his estates. And when she was at last restored to a nor-
mal state of health, she would let Daddy and Bob and me return to our na-
tive land, without a pang, and without a protest, I felt sure.

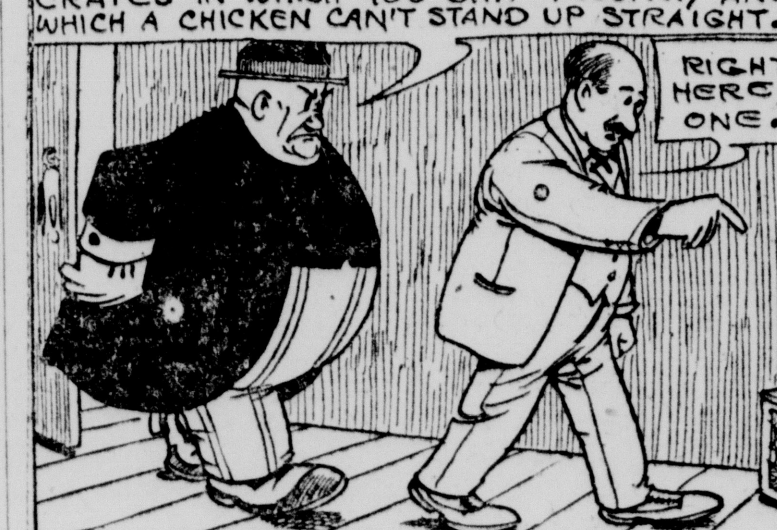
She had a legal right to remain with her husband, if she should choose to
do so. From all that she had ever said to me, it appeared that she would re-
main with him. And she would be an undesired bride—and would hardly real-
ize the sad truth!

It would be impossible, I suppose, to persuade any lovely young woman
that the man who has married her finds that he cannot love her.

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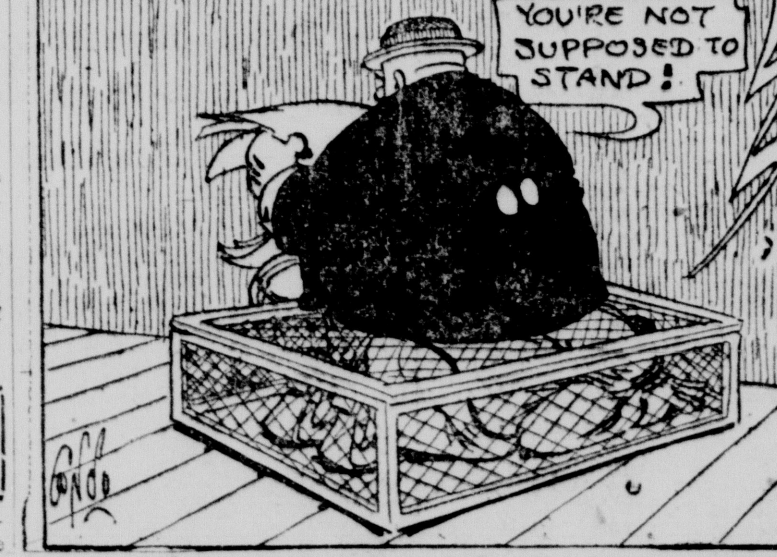
EVERETT TRUE BY CONDO

I WISH YOU'D SHOW ME ONE OF THOSE
SCRATES IN WHICH YOU SHIP POULTRY, AND IN
WHICH A CHICKEN CAN'T STAND UP STRAIGHT.



WOO-OO--WOW!!!
I CAN'T STAND THIS
ANY LONGER!!!

YOU'RE NOT
SUPPOSED TO
STAND!



"America! America!!" the Millions Cry In Sad Armenia, Land of Stalking Death

Melville Chater, home from Near East, Tells Harrowing Story of Human Misery There—Beetles and Straw for Food.

WHERE CHILDREN DIE IN THE STREETS



A lone mother in the doorway of her empty house. Her husband was murdered before her eyes by the brutal Turks. (Above) Tallen, starving by the wayside in Igdir, Armenia.

"CROUCHING by herself in a corner, a little seven-year-old girl was cracking something between two stones," says Melville Chater in an article, "The Land of Stalking Death," in the National Geographic Magazine, describing conditions in Armenia. "I looked closer and found the child was eating the marrow from a bone."

"Where did she get it?" I asked the interpreter who accompanied me. "Yonder in the grave yard," he replied, after questioning the girl. This child, according to Mr. Chater, was subsisting solely on a small dose of rice furnished daily by the Near East Relief representatives in her native city, Igdir. There was not sufficient food in the town to even give one meal a day to all of the children and shortly after they had received this bare pittance of food all were searching for any bit on which they might chew to appease their hunger. They picked up beetles, straws, and one a piece of a horse's hoof, says Mr. Chater.

Root and Grass Diet.

Conditions at Igdir are horrible almost beyond belief. People live chiefly on roots and grass, but occasionally a diet is varied by the killing of a dog or a cat. Workers sent out by Near East Relief, the former Committee for Armenian and Syrian Relief, who are furnishing the only sustenance to these people, told Mr. Chater that it was impossible to remove at once the bodies of those who had died from starvation, and when they were taken out for burial, an arm or a leg of the body had been eaten by the famished survivors.

Mr. Chater tells of a visit to the burying ground when graves were torn open and bodies exhumed by the famished inhabitants. "We had taken a short cut," he says, "toward where our car waited and by chance we were skirting the cemetery. Our guide pointed thither and said:

"It is not a pleasant sight. You must understand that the Turks left this country so bare that there were not even spades. Graves must be dug with any available thing, even with human bones. If the dead has a relative strong enough to carry a weight—big stones are placed on the grave, but if not—, he struggled significantly. 'I asked, hardly knowing how to frame my question, 'Exactly what—exactly whom; do you mean?'

Men Stalk Dogs.

"I mean," he answered, "the pariah dogs by day and under cover of night—well, come and see for yourselves."

"I will never forget that terrible scene of earth—the low-boulder-heaped mounds, and those others, the unprotected graves, now revealed as empty, scooped-out holes, whose brinks were strewn about with remnants of torn-off garments, among which lay blackened amulets of humanity. As we turned away the apparition of a great, yellow pariah dog, pawing among the graves, drew from us a volley of stones. Then as he slunk off, a skeleton-like man sprang up from behind the wall (under cover of which he had been stalking his prey) and, braining the beast with his club, disappeared, carrying its carcass with him.

"Our farewells and thanks to the American Committee's manager seemed an endless, proceeding and

upon reaching our car we found it blocked by a host of humanity, who, having learned Americans were in the town, had hurried in from every village to plead their cause.

Prayer of the Dying.

"I shall never forget what followed. There arose a cry coming from thousands of starved lips, not a cheer, not a welcome, not a God-speed, but the last prayer of a dying people. It was addressed through us to that far-off land of generous hearts; and under the twilight, with Ararat gleaming overhead, it rang endlessly out through the death-smitten town: 'America! America! America!'

Armenian refugees, selling the last souvenirs of their beloved dead at a bazaar in Erivan are vividly described. "Behind the market stands the second bazaar," says Mr. Chater. "Penetrate the tattered throng that revolves unceasingly in its quest of purchasers and you recognize the husband selling his wife's head-dress, the wife selling her husband's coat, the son his sister's earrings. Thus laden with mementoes of broken homes and of the dear dead ones these emaciated creatures pass by, silent as funeral mutes, profoundly solicitous; for though starvation may bring a man to dispose of his wife's burial clothes, he will not cry them for sale.

"Half a loaf of black bread will purchase yonder scarf, together with the owner's story; yet he will display no emotion as he parts with the last loved souvenir. One must eat, it seems, even that one may have tears to weep."

Children Wait with Dead.

Other harrowing stories of this city, the capital of the new Armenian republic, are told by the author in his account of his visit to this desolated region. "Up goes a childish wail," says Mr. Chater, "which leads us to one of those dark cellars, the scene of an hourly common tragedy. Here on the

The only hope to all Armenia—a tale of bread from the Near East Relief.

stones, with two babies at her side and a screaming ten-year-old at her other, lies a stark staring-eyed woman, dead among those remnants of the household which she strove to preserve. In time the girl will pick up one child lead the other, and go forth into the streets to beg. Their best possible future is that they may be found and passed through starvation's clearing house to some orphanage.

Mr. Chater spent several days in the city viewing the work being done by Near East Relief for thousands of refugees, whose whole life of existence lies on the generosity of the American people as expressed through this organization, which, in desperate need of funds to continue the work, through its treasurer, Cleveland H. Dodge, 1 Madison Avenue, New York City, is now making an appeal for continued support by the American people.

"We spent some few days in frequenting the American Committee's work shops, where men and women weave cloth from Georgian wool," says the author, "or build the looms for this purpose. Mere children of fourteen are seen at their apprenticeships of cloth-cutting, shoe-making, brazier and rug-weaving.

"They were but refugees, these serious-eyed workers, whose families had been massacred, whose homes had been burned, and had emerged from such horrors as have no other nation in the war; yet here they were, already at the tasks which would rehabilitate the Armenian nation of tomorrow."

NEWS FROM DIXON DIXON VOLLEY BALL PLAYERS BEAT STERLING

Close Contest Staged
Sterling Y. M. C. A.
Friday Eve.

Dixon volley ball players scored another victory over Sterling Friday evening, but it was a close shave, almost too close for comfort as Sterling was in the lead up till the last two minutes of play, and nothing but hard fast playing brought the Dixon total up to and over Sterling's lead. Twelve of the local volley ball "bugs" took the 6 o'clock car to Sterling where the contest was staged.

Two captains were selected and they picked two teams from the 12 and were known as Dixon team 1 and 2, and each of these teams got a chance to play Sterling's first and second teams. The match was in form of a round robin tournament each Sterling team playing each Dixon team for a period of ten minutes, total number of points gained in the entire playing time to count for game.

At the close of the seventh playing period Sterling had 99 points to Dixon's 86 and so it was up to Dixon team one to bring home the bacon. At the start Sterling held tight and Dixon was unable to do more than keep the score tied but with two minutes to play Dixon started in to play read volley ball and in a whirlwind finish ran up 26 points to Sterling's 8. The teams with points made in order as they were played are as follows:

Sterling—first team	17
Dixon—first	12
Sterling—second	4
Dixon—second	27

Sterling—first	21
Dixon—first	10
Sterling—second	10
Dixon—second	9
Sterling—first	18
Dixon—second	6
Sterling—second	11
Dixon—first	15
Sterling—first	18
Dixon—second	7

Sterling—second	8
Dixon—first	25
Total points: Sterling 107, Dixon 111.	

Dixon Team, First—Blank, captain; Potter, Wheeler, Tidball, Cleidon and Kent.

Dixon Team, Second—Rawls, captain; Schildberg, Kennedy, Forsythe, Lennon, Kuhn.

RADIATORS VS. FLOWMAKERS.

The volley ball match Tuesday evening will be played between the Flowmakers and the Radiators and promises to be one of the hardest fought of the tournament. The Flowmakers have gotten together and are playing real volley ball and are determined to pull the Radiators down another notch. The Radiators of course will do their "darnedest" to keep in the lead so the fur sure will fly Tuesday.

HIKES IN PROSPECT.

Several hikes are being planned for the boys during the spring vacation. Hiking always interests a large number and with the coming of warmer weather the boys are getting worked up over prospects of several long hikes.

SIGN OF SPRING.

Spring has come. Saturday afternoon a large number of the boys dug out the balls and gloves and played

ABE MARTIN.



We often hear somebody say, "I'd just taken a little advice," but we never hear anybody say they took some. Tell Binkley wuz talkin' this mornin' about how rich Em Moot's nephew is, an' Lufe Bud said, "I remember jest as well when he rode in a open car."

"catch" in the street in front of the "Y."

PLAN GYM EXHIBITION.

The junior gym classes have started work on a few stunts for a gymnastic exhibition which will be staged sometime the first part of April.

BOWLERS FROM MEXICO ENTER PEORIA MATCH

Champion Lindsey is Also on Events in Congress Today.

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Peoria, March 22.—A team from Tampico, Mexico, rolling in the five men events brought added interest in the American Bowling Congress today. Members of the American colony in Tampico are said to have contributed \$5000 to send the bowlers here. Mort Lindsey, Now Haven, Conn., all events champion of the A. B. C. was also on the drives today shooting in the team events with the Al Johnsons of New Haven. He will roll in the individuals and two men classes tomorrow.

Chicago, Milwaukee, Indianapolis, Muskegon and Escanaba, Mich. bowlers were on the drives in the individuals and doubles today while teams from Tampico, Mexico, New Haven, Columbus, Marshalltown, Ia., Aurora, Ill., Chicago, Pittsburgh, Cleveland and Erie, Pa., were on in the five men entries.

The leaders today:
Five Men
Brucks, No. 1—3096.
Fleming Furniture, Cleveland, 2947
Horlick's Racine, 2923.
Ernes Lunth, Chicago, 2922.
Crystal Park, Canton, O., 2915.

Two Men
J. Nevaril, A. Hartman, Chicago, 1258.
A. Chultz-F. Haack, Sheboygan, 1257.
O. Whitebread-E. Grubb, St. Louis, 1257.
H. Muggley-C. Deck, St. Paul, 1231.
M. Morgan-J. Hannan, Chicago, 1230.

Individuals
B. McGeowan, Evansville, 698.
R. Myer, St. Louis 683.
A. Bronder, Chicago, 677.
W. Ruch, Chicago, 676.
E. Mathieson, Chicago, 675.

The United States has gained \$189,113,410 on the international movement of gold and silver in the last six years.

EAT CHUCK STEAK AND MAKE SIRLOIN CHEAPER

"Save Money on Meat" Week Starts Today—People to Help.

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Chicago, March 22.—The federal fair price commission of Illinois today appealed to the people of the state to observe "save money on meat" week by buying the inexpensive meat cuts which are public was declared to have neglected.

"This week was set aside by the department of justice to introduce you—the ultimate consumer—to some of the neglected parts of the beef carcass which are wholesome, nutritious and palatable," an announcement by the commission said.

"The price of these cuts is relatively low. By buying them you can help solve your own problem. The public should know about short ribs, for instance. Short ribs sell for from 15 to 20 cents, while prime ribs sell around 33 cents. Short ribs come from almost the same part of the animal as prime ribs, yet customers take the latter and pay higher prices.

"The department is not advising the public to eat nothing but inexpensive cuts but at present only the expensive meats are in demand and we are attempting even up the situation."

By eating chuck steaks and New England boiled dinners today the sirloins will be cheaper tomorrow, the commission said.

The commission received a telegram from the department justice urging all possible precaution to prevent profiteering during the week, and suggesting that wholesale prices be obtained from the packer to check against retail charges. The commission, which has been receiving daily reports from the packers, announced that this plan would be continued during save money on next week.

IOWA TO OBSERVE IT.

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Des Moines, Ia., March 22.—"Save Money on Meat Week" will be observed in Iowa this week under the direction of H. G. Larimer, federal fair price commissioner for the state.

A campaign to reduce meat prices conducted by the Fair Price Commission for the last thirty days has had its effect in Iowa, so the results of "Save Money on Meat" week were not expected to be marked.

America's Cup coffee—the cup that cheers. Moon Grocery, North Dixon. 25ct

THE CALL OF THE WILD



Boycott Against Countries Which Occupy Arab Lands

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Beirut, March 22.—Emir Feisal, the newly elected king of Syria, has denounced a boycott against countries occupying territory of Arabs—France and England—and has organized a commission for the purpose of bringing Moslems and Christians into a better understanding.

Posters displayed at Damascus, where the Syrian congress proclaimed the independence of that country, declared:

In spite of himself, the Moslem is brother to the Christian and the Jew. The Arabs existed before Christ, Moses or Mohammed, and freedom and independence are rights of Syria. Religion is of God and the Fatherland belongs to his children."

The Syrian congress signed a decree asking foreigners to evacuate that region and Palestine and Mesopotamia are reported to have been included. A committee organized in Lebanon has issued a statement alleging that the district was illegally rep-

resented in the congress of Damascus when the independence of Syria was declared.

MAY CUT TARIFF ON PULP

Washington, March 20.—Tariffs on wood pulp would be suspended for one year under a bill favorably reported today by the house ways and means committee. Committee members said such action was necessary to stimulate importations from Canada and other countries.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank the neighbors and friends who so kindly assisted us during the illness and death of our father, and for the floral tributes.

Mrs. Amy Platts and children.

DRAW STRING BROKE—AUGUST IS CAUGHT

ST. LOUIS.—The draw string on August Triske's pajamas broke, and

Here's how come: Triske was a mental patient at the City Hospital. He jumped headlong from a 20-foot window and landed unhurt on the pavement. He started to run. The pajama string broke. The garment wrapped around his legs and two doctors caught him.

OBITUARY.

PALMER ATKINS.

Died—At Springfield, Ill., March 15, 1920, Palmer Atkins, aged 78 years. Palmer Atkins was born on the site of old Fort Stanwix, N. Y., of Revolutionary fame, August 28, 1842, and lived in New York state until he was fourteen years of age, when he was brought by his parents to Chicago. After studying in the public schools of both New York and Illinois he attended the seminary at Mt. Morris, Ill., afterwards learning the printing trade in the office of the Dixon Telegraph, under J. S. Boardman. He remained there until the outbreak of the Civil war, when he enlisted as a private in Co. A, Thirtieth Ill. Vol. Inf., at Dixon, May 24, 1861. He acted as staff printer and special messenger at Grant's headquarters, taking many of the cipher dispatches. On April 19, 1864, while at Antietam he was detailed to take charge of all the mail of the Fifteenth Army corps, commanded by Gen. John A. Logan, which heavy responsibility he faithfully discharged.

He was finally discharged June 18, 1864, and after returning to Dixon he continued his service with the Telegraph until 1876, when he engaged in the grocery business. He was elected collector of taxes in 1870 and he also served three terms as Town Clerk, was school director and alderman. He was always active in politics, being an out-and-out Republican.

Mr. Atkins had been retired for the last fourteen years of his life. He was a member of the Stephenson Post No. 30, G. A. R., and at the time of his death was Past Grand Master of Springfield Lodge I. O. O. F. He is survived by his wife, one son, Lewis B. Atkins, of Dixon, three grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

MRS. ISABELL KEARNS.

Mrs. Isabel Elizabeth Kearns, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Clark, both deceased, was born at Sublette,

Ill., Feb. 24th, 1844, and passed away on March 11th, 1920, aged 76 years. She was married to James M. Kearns in 1861, and to this union there were born six children, five of whom survive, one son, J. A. Kearns and four daughters, Mrs. C. H. Howell, Mrs. A. L. Strom, Mrs. E. Barthol, Mrs. B. F. Young. The husband and father passed away in 1887.

The funeral services were conducted on Monday by Rev. Gasaway, pastor of the Baptist church, and the remains were taken to Omaha for burial.

ANNOUNCEMENT

I hereby announce myself a candidate for reelection to the office of highway commissioner of South Dixon township and will appreciate the support of the voters, at the election, April 6th.

P. R. FUESTMAN.

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SEIZED SHIP CASE PUZZLES WASHINGTON

WASHINGTON—Officials here are said to be in a quandary over the alleged offer of the Soviet government to return the American steamer Omsk. The ship and her cargo are worth \$3,000,000. The Omsk was on her way to supply Denikin forces when seized by the Soviet authorities in the Black Sea. Officials are said to be puzzled as to how to negotiate for the ship's return without recognizing in a measure the Moscow government.

MARRIAGE STORY LEADS TO ARREST

HOUSTON—The announcement that R. J. Barton was to marry was printed here. Then the Bay City police knew where Barton was and they pinched him. They said he cashed bad checks.

When you need a renewal of engraved calling cards, bring your plate to the Job Department of The Evening Telegraph.



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VAILE AND MALLEY



"SEE WHAT MAN DOES UNTO MEN"

Sculptor Seeks to Emphasize the Sorrow and Suffering Men Bring Upon Each Other

BY MILTON BRONNER.
(European Manager N. E. A.)

London, Eng.—"Christ" is the title of the most discussed piece of sculpture that London has viewed in many a day. The sculptor is Jacob Epstein, native of New York. His conception of Christ is a life-sized bronze figure. The body is thin to emaciation and has wrapped about it the elements of the grave. The right hand is held aloft and the left points to it, calling attention to the wound in the palm caused by the crucifixion. The face is different than that of any sculptured or painted Christ the art world has yet seen. It is a strange, dignified, very grave face, with a deep, a high-ridged nose and just the slightest hint of a beard. The head is poised proudly upon a strong slim neck. There is nothing soft about it anywhere. There is no hint of the Italian school or of the Spanish, which has so often dominated the thoughts of modern artists. The face is neither Jewish nor European.

HEALTH PROMOTION TO BE BOOSTED FOR WEEK

Annual Clean-up Campaign in Illinois to Start Sunday, May 9.

Springfield, Ill., March 22.—Just one year ago the Fifty-first General Assembly passed a joint resolution setting aside the second week in May of the years 1919 and 1920 as Health Promotion Weeks. Many communities had hitherto held clean-up campaigns in the springs of each year, but the idea of Health Promotion Week is much broader than a periodic or spasmodic clean-up. The purpose of the week is not only clean-up, to impress upon the children of the land that good health, like charity, in a large measure begins at home. By beginning on children, and there is no better place to begin than in the schools, the habit of being healthy can be instilled into their minds. The lesson, once properly taught and learned, will follow the children through all the days of their lives.

The 1920 Health Promotion Week will be ushered in on Sunday, May 9, by health talks in the churches of the state. It is to be hoped that every church from Galena to Cairo will call the children in on that day, and with exercises, in which perhaps, the children will be asked to take part, the doctrine of good health for the rising generation will be expounded in such a vigorous fashion that it will never be forgotten.

With the week thus commenced the movement should swing into vigorous progress in the schools on Monday morning, and some to a successful and memorable close with field day exercises on Saturday afternoon, May 15. There is something along the line of health promotion for every day in the



This is the much-discussed sculpture.

week. Nor should the movement be confined to children alone. The merchants should clean up and sanitize their places of business, and every home in the community should have its face washed and its hair combed for the occasion. The babies may be weighed and examined to determine their average of normality, and point out such defects as may exist, and prescribe a method of treatment for their removal. Prizes should be offered for the best essay on some selected health topic by pupils of the several grades in the schools. The State Department of Health urges that every community awaken to its responsibilities. The State Director of Health is prepared to supply interested organizations and individuals with suggested programs and advice on organizations which should be effected for proper

It is an odd thing, but when I came into the quiet, white-walled room where it stood on exhibition, I thought I saw traces of the faces of Lincoln and of Woodrow Wilson in the face of the sculpture. This disappeared upon closer study, especially of the profile. The hands and feet are large and rugged.

I asked Epstein to talk to me about his new Christ and what he sought to convey.

"It's queer to ask that question," said he. "After all, a man's sculpture should speak for itself just as a man's musical composition or his poem does. The French have a very beautiful saying that every man has his own Christ. Very well, this is my Christ. I have deliberately avoided all the representations made of Jesus from the 16th century down and have harked back to the middle ages and beyond. I did not pick a racial type. Perhaps you think because of my Jewish blood, I would have chosen a Jewish type. But that would not have expressed my idea. I wanted a universal type."

"You say my Christ figure is not orthodox. I answer that you are correct, but I also reply that Christ Himself was unorthodox. He was not bound by tradition, nor custom, nor prejudice. My Christ says to you: 'See what Mankind did to Me.' By implication He says, making Himself the symbol of Mankind: 'See what Man does unto Man.' He seeks to emphasize the sorrow and suffering that men bring upon each other."

observance of Health Promotion Week.

Brief Summary of Last Night's News

By Associated Press Leased Wire
COBLENZ.—Three thousand persons were killed in Leipzig when government troops took the town Friday, according to three Americans who arrived here from Leipzig.

CORK.—Thousands of persons viewed the body of Lord Mayor Mac Curtain, lying in state and Protestant and Catholic pulpits denounced his assassination.

MANILA.—Women voted for the first time in domestic presidential primaries Saturday.

CHICAGO.—Eamon De Valera, "President of the Irish Republic," declared his mission to the United States had been crowned with success. "Nothing remains but the formal act of recognition of your nation's chief executive," he said.

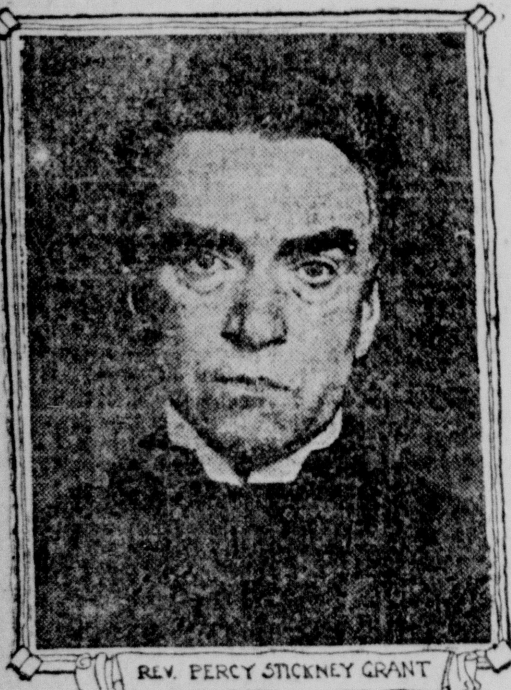
NEW YORK.—Charles Dana Gibson, the artist, has bought a controlling interest in Life, humorous weekly.

HAVANA.—The first hailstorm in 16 years paralyzed street car traffic for two hours.

NIGHT GOLF SCHOOL

BOSTON.—The Melrose Y. M. C. A. is trying out a new experiment in London. It has opened a night school in golf with Donald Vinton in charge. The indoor course is well lighted and proving successful.

Church Has Novel Safety Valve For Disciples of Unrest and Discontent



REV. PERCY STICKNEY GRANT



Most radicals, especially of the I. W. W., Anarchist and Bolshevik variety are noted for their contempt of churches. On the edge of New York's Latin Quarter—Greenwich Village—is an Episcopal church, however, that is a Mecca each Sunday night for the radicals who make their home in the Village, along with embryo sculptors and literati. This despite the fact that the Episcopal Church, through its Nation-Wide Campaign, to arouse its communicants to a realizing sense of the great world tasks confronting them as a result of the world war, is raising a sum in excess of \$42,000,000, a goodly portion of which will be spent in con-

batting Bolshevism, I. W. Wism and all the other elements of social disorder. Oddly enough, the Church of the Ascension which is such a Sunday evening favorite of the disciples of unrest, is a church associated in the popular mind with wealth, society, and ultra-conservatism. Its pastor is the Rev. Percy Stickney Grant. It is not the usual Sunday evening Episcopal service, however, which packs the Church of the Ascension to its capacity. It is the Public Forum.

Speakers of every class and shade of opinion spoke there during the current year, including ex-President Taft, Col. Raymond Robbins, Catherine Breckinridge, Jerome

Davis, Norman Angell and Gov. Alfred E. Smith of New York. When speakers finish the cosmopolitan audience sends up its written questions, and when these have been answered, anyone in the audience is invited to step to the platform and speak four minutes on the subject of the evening.

As long as the government of the United States is not attacked and there is no profanity, these orators, many of long "soap box" experience, are allowed to say practically what they please. Usually some more conservative and better educated speakers follow extreme radicals and shoot holes in their defective reasoning and conclusions.

IRISH PROBLEMS AS IRELAND'S FAMOUS POET EXPLAINS IT TO AMERICAN EARS

BY H. P. BURTON
N. E. A. Staff Correspondent

NEW YORK.—A great deal of heat has been generated here by the Irish question, but very little light. It is, therefore, interesting to find in William Butler Yeats, the famous Irish poet, just come to this country, a man who can explain the Irish problem and in a manner that Americans can understand.

"As for myself," he said to me, "I am an Irish Nationalist, desiring for Ireland only as much self-government as is compatible with the circumstances—I leave entirely to the politicians how much this ought to be. Thus, you see, my feelings on this question keep me apart from the details of heated political controversy, but makes me naturally more detached and able to outline for Americans how opinion in Ireland lies."

"My view of it is to this effect: The state of things in Ireland has been engendered, not by the English people, but by English party spirit. The Conservative party in England armed Ulster and said 'fight,' and the Liberal party there armed the National Volunteers (afterwards the Sinn Feiners) and said 'fight.' They both promptly obeyed, bringing about the catastrophe of Easter, 1916. Now England turns a face of conscious benevolence to the world and says, 'we are waiting for Ireland to come to an agreement with herself.' The result is that the majority of the Irish have lost all belief in the political



WILLIAM BUTLER YEATS

honesty of the English parties and have fallen back on first principles.

"I do not myself say the English parties are necessarily dishonest; I think at moments of party strife a Liberal or Conservative party man is prepared to tear the world to pieces to spite his opponent, while at other moments they mean well toward even Ireland, but they do not mean it much."

"I do not know that we have any right to complain of this. It is hard to get a busy nation to mean well towards any other nation. We have a right however to complain of the way

the Irish situation has been complicated by the partnership of British political parties. At the present moment the majority of the Irish are undoubtedly for a republic.

"Sir Horace Plunkett, however, and his group stand for dominion home rule (which means, as they use the phrase, the largest possible measure of independence within the empire), and I see that de Valera has now expressed readiness to accept a relationship to the empire similar to that of Cuba to the United States. This seems to leave no difference of principle between his policy and that of the moderates. But the question is, however, whether his own party will be ready under the present circumstances to give up their claim for a complete independence."

"For even a practitioner of the arts like myself, without a political mind, knows that everything in Ireland today is dominated by the rebellion of 1916, which was produced by the disbelief in political action as means of obtaining self-government. For some time before the rebellion Pearse was going about Ireland preaching what is called 'the blood sacrifice,' and so the young men today are mad-jealous to die as he did—in the cause of their country. The country, you see, has been worked into a violent state of ecstatic passion, and until this subsides I see no immediate hope for a solution."

"I cannot think of anything that England will give today that Ireland will accept today. Ireland is content for the present to live by faith."

have any strange cow get into the herd. He must know all about the family and habits of every animal which comes to his farm. Not only is he unwilling to breed from any but the best; but he doesn't even want others around. "They contaminate my herd," he says.

If it means so much to cows and pigs to be only with others who are clean, well-behaved, and of good stock, what must it mean to you and me? It surely means that we should take care with whom we associate. Some people think it foolish to wait for "introductions." There's a good reason for this and for other conventionalities.

WITH WHOM WE ASSOCIATE

BY ROGER W. BABSON.
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I have been visiting my cousin who has a wonderful dairy farm in Illinois. Over each cow was a genealogical table which showed who were the cow's father, mother and grandparents. There also was a sheet showing just how much the cow had eaten and just how much milk she had given each day during the year. The most careful records are kept for every calf from the day she is born.

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Washington, March 22.—Development of a more thoughtful and interested citizenship and translation of crystallized public sentiment into action are two needs of grave import confronting the nation at this time, Franklin K. Lane, former secretary of the interior, declared in a paper read today at the opening of the national conference on community organization.

Mr. Lane said his interest in community organization arose from his conviction that it would help to solve both of these problems.

"The movement has many phases," he said. "It lies, for instance, at the very root of a proper Americanization."

"But above all else, the movement

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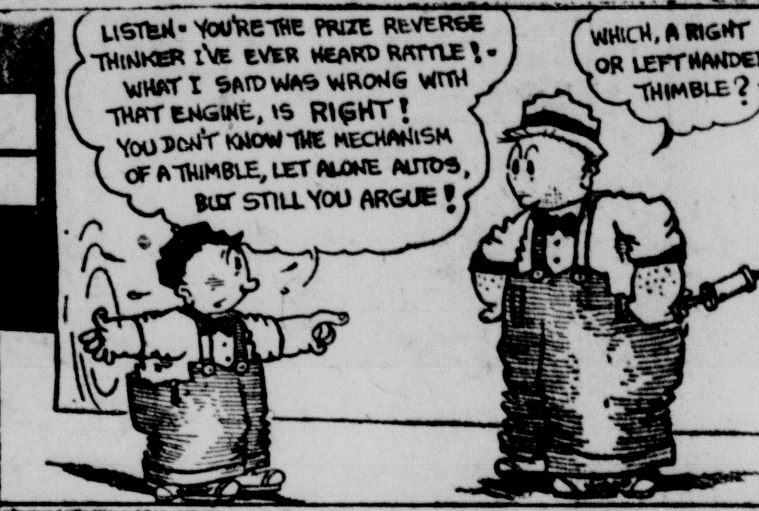
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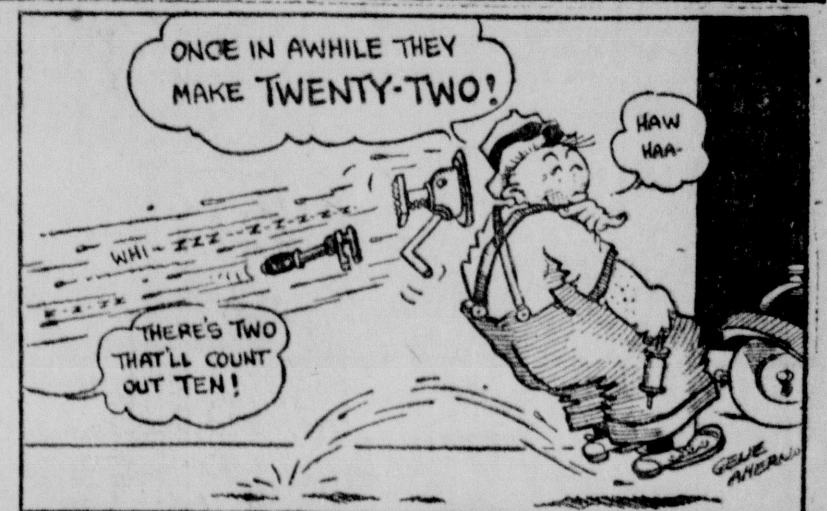
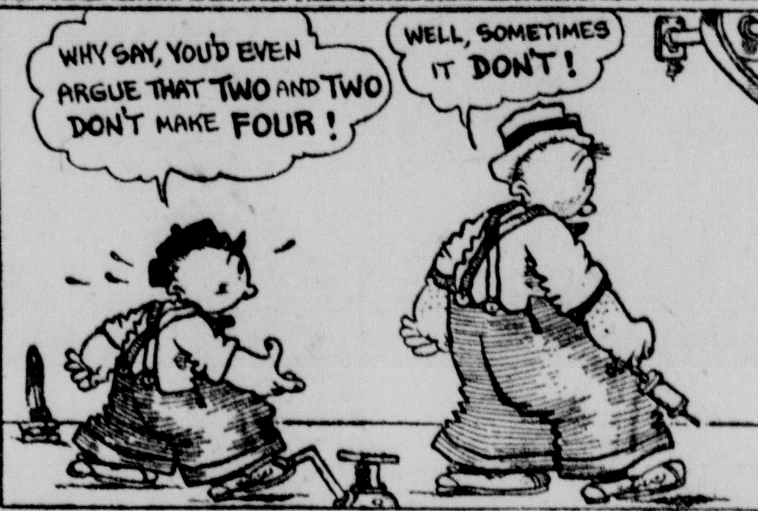
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	W. J. Bryan	Dem	6,358,133	155
1904	Theo. Roosevelt	Rep	7,623,486	336
	Alton B. Parker	Dem	5,077,911	140
1908	Wm. H. Taft	Rep	7,674,968	321
	W. J. Bryan	Dem	6,409,104	162
1912	Woodrow Wilson	Dem	6,283,019	435
	W. H. Taft	Rep	3,484,956	8
	Theo. Roosevelt	Prog	4,119,507	88
1916	Woodrow Wilson	Dem	9,129,249	277
	Chas. E. Hughes	Rep	8,547,328	254

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Vienna, March 20.—Former Archduchess Marie Valerie, granddaughter of the late emperor Francis Joseph, has renounced her membership in the house of Hapsburg and has given up all prerogatives appertaining to her former position in order that she might become a citizen of the Austrian republic.

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Zapata General

Has Surrendered

Mexico City, March 20.—Manuel Palafox, one of the leaders of the Zapatista movement, surrendered yesterday and is arranging with the war department for the capitulation of remaining bands of outlaws formerly under command of Emiliano Zapata, who was killed in a fight with government troops April 11, 1919.

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FOR VOTING!

Susan B. Anthony presided over the first woman suffrage convention at Seneca Falls, N. Y., in 1848. In 1872 Miss Anthony went to the polls at her home town, Rochester, N. Y. She was arrested on a federal warrant charging her with "illegally voting in the congressional election." Thirteen other suffrage pioneers were arrested at the same time. Judge Hunt took the case from the jury and fined Miss Anthony \$100 and costs. Miss Anthony's friends paid the fine. Two years later the Kansas Legislature voted to strike the word "male" from the suffrage clause in the state constitution. And in November, 1920, women in every state may vote!

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"It choked 'ill dead," so the corner said. "It's a lesson from which we should gain." And now there's a

holler against the high collar; all London is out on campaign.

Which leads, we might say, to a most modern day when the men folk will tug out in lace. We can see, in a haze, the new "neckties," with the man's husky neck for their place.

Friend wisky's lace, we fear, shortly may disappear, as hubby takes needle and thread, and stitches and stitches—he soon will have itches through dangling cloth 'round his head.

It brings up again, what's to happen to men, if these dofinny fads rule the day? 'Tween the wrist watch and

spats and our freakish hats, are we males slowly passing away?

And then there's an angle that enters this tangle—consider the laundry man, folk; he earneth his dollar from washing our collar—this new fad to him is no joke.

All told, we'll admit that this hunch is no hit and as song-writing poets would sing; if we men folk must die to wear collars up high, we meekly say, "death, where's thy sting?"

According to statistics prepared by the American Chamber of Commerce in London, the cost of all principal articles of food in England rose in January to 136 per cent of the previous level, while that of rent, clothing, light and fuel went up 125 per cent.

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JERRY PONDER'S HER PROBLEM.

CHAPTER 91.

I wondered if I had given Robert more than he could do successfully in urging him to trim the windows. It was almost a business in itself, as he had said, as well as being an art.

"If the window trimming bothers you at all, can't you do it after hours, until you get used to following my diagrams? Then I could come down and help you," I asked him.

"You would be too tired after selling hats all day," he told me.

"I'm not selling hats now," I had not failed to notice the change in his tone, as he referred to my work.

"Well, if you are a mind to, I'll tell Mr. Burch that I will do the window late, after the others have gone."

"All right, I'll be down about six."

All day I thought of Robert. All day I accused myself because I had not found a way to help him before. After I finished my work, I picked up a late magazine and commenced to read a story. I read a few paragraphs when this sentence caught my thoughts and halted them:

"Business women make marriage an adjunct to business, instead business an adjunct to marriage." Then it went on: "It isn't that men so object to the idea of the business woman, as that the women so obtrude their business, and make every thought and action subservient to it. For single women this may not be a fault. It may even be a virtue. But for a married woman to hold this attitude toward business is fatal to happiness. Her husband feels that he is relegated to a minor position, and if the wife is successful, especially monetarily, he loses all ambition in time--if, indeed he does not go to pieces entirely."

I read this paragraph over and over.

Had I made Robert simply an adjunct to my business? And had my attitude really been fatal to our happiness? Was it I who was responsible for the change in him, his deterioration?

It was a disturbing thought, and yet I could not put it away. I went back over our lives together. I could not think of one thing I had done without believing it was for the best, and not one action but I had considered Robert's good as well as my own advancement. Yet I realized that I had done just exactly as that writer had said--I had made everything subservient to my business even Robert's happiness which, of course, also meant my own. For loving him as I did, I was not happy had not been for some time, knowing him miserable and fearing to lose him.

I thought of Gardner Kenyon, that he had for a few short weeks appealed to me--not that I ever had a disloyal thought toward my husband, but I could see how Marion might have

in Indiana. Mrs. Savage left at once for that place.

Attorney Harry Typer returned home Tuesday night from a business trip to Chicago.

Mrs. J. C. Atkins and daughter, Lottie, of Forrester, were Polo visitors recently.

Mrs. Sarah Kittmiller, of Haldane, was a Polo visitor on Tuesday.

Mrs. Laurence Adair, of Woosung, spent Monday in Polo.

Frank Dennis returned home Tuesday evening from Chicago.

Thomas Fawcett, of DeKalb, came Wednesday to visit his foster mother, Mrs. Nettie O'Kane, who suffered a stroke of paralysis.

Mrs. Claud Krebs is quite ill at her home in Polo.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Wilson and daughter, Phyllis Shirley, went to Rochelle Friday morning to visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Allen. Mr. Wilson will return home the same evening. Mrs. Wilson and daughter will return home Saturday.

Mrs. Harriet Hays had a stroke of paralysis at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Samuel Arto, and is not expected to live.

John Smith has rented the Miss Clara Beck farm and will farm for himself this year. He and his family moved there the first of the week.

Charles Gates returned home from Chicago Tuesday evening.

Charles W. Smith went to Sterling Tuesday evening to visit with relatives.

Mrs. Martin Coffey and sister, Miss Bertha Dehl, of Milledgeville, were guests of Mrs. Kate Zollinger Thursday and Friday of last week.

Mrs. Fred Finkle went to Freeport hospital where she will undergo an operation. Mrs. Annie Irvin accompanied her to Freeport.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh McDole, of Sterling, spent the week-end here with Mrs. McDole's grandfather, I. C. Smith, and other relatives.

Dr. Ethan Allen Gray, of the Chicago Fresh Air Hospital will hold his regular tuberculosis clinic in the Public Library in Polo Tuesday afternoon, March 23rd.

I. C. Smith went to Chicago Monday

and returned home on Tuesday night.

Mrs. Anna Arnt and Miss Ada Sauer were called to Polo last week on account of the illness of their brother, George Sauer, who had an attack of bronchitis.

Dr. L. A. Beard is giving illustrated talks to boys and men, entitled, "Keeping Fit." The larger towns of the country will be covered.

Mr. and Mrs. James Lang, Jr., are the parents of a son born Monday, March 15th.

Lyman Shaw, son of Mrs. Louise Shaw, of Polo, passed away at his home, Glen Avon, Saskatchewan, Canada. The remains were brought to Oregon Ill., Sunday evening.

Shaw was a resident of Pine Creek about fifteen years ago. He with his family made an extended visit here with his mother and with relatives in Oregon and Mt. Morris, leaving Polo the last of January for his home in Canada. Upon his return he was taken ill with the influenza and his death resulted. Those who survive are his mother and one brother, John Shaw, of Des Moines, Ia., and a number of other relatives. Interment was made in the Salem cemetery near Oregon, Ill.

William Snook spent part of last week in Apple River with his son, Ralph and family.

Pauline Vivian is the name of the little daughter born to Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hammer on Saturday, March 13th.

Rev. Parke O. Bailey, of the local United Evangelical church, and Rev. S. C. Boswell, of Brookville, were in Freeport this week in attendance at a church conference.

Mr. and Mrs. Hol Adams and son, Glenn, returned home last week after spending the winter in California.

Mrs. Elwood Kramer spent last Friday in Sterling with friends.

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ent were Jos. Geiger and family, Emil Janssen and family, and Miss Ruth Smith and John Stover. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Trotter went to Cedar Rapids on Sunday where they visited friends. M. C. S.

Japan and China Near Agreement on Shantung Question

Tokio, March 13.—By the Associated Press.—(Delayed).—It is understood here that the government has instructed Yukichi Obata, the Japanese minister in Peking to begin negotiations immediately for a speedy settlement on the Shantung question, as the views of the Japanese and Chinese commissioners appointed to investigate have been found to concur in the main points and Japan is ready to make large concessions toward an amicable solution.

Queen Gave Carriage to Priest and Walked

Madrid, March 19.—While Queen Victoria was driving through the city today she met a priest who was going on foot to give the last sacrament to a dying workman. When she learned of the priest's mission Her Majesty alighted and insisted that he use her carriage. The priest agreed and the queen followed on foot to the home of the dying man where she remained during the ceremony.

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